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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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In re application of: Gai, et al.

Application No.: 10/791,297

Filed: March 2, 2004

Title: SECURITY GROUPS



Attorney Docket No.: ANDIP024A

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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS**

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Sir:

Enclosed herewith is the executed Declaration and Power of Attorney and executed Assignment in response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted mailed May 25, 2004. Please file this document in the subject application.

Applicant hereby request a two-month(s) extension of time in which to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application--Filing Date Granted mailed May 25, 2004.

Enclosed is our Check No. 9691 for \$2,530.00 in payment of the filing fee, excess claims fee, surcharge, and two-month(s) extension fee (if any) for a Large Entity. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees that may be due to our Deposit Account No. 500388 (Order No. ANDIP024A).

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Respectfully submitted,

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**SEPARATE LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSMAN  
REQUESTING ENTERING OF FORMAL DRAWINGS  
(MPEP 608.02(p))**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the objections made due to informalities in the original drawings (or to corrections approved by the Examiner), enclosed are replacement (formal) drawings for the above-identified patent application. If the Draftsman has any question concerning these drawings, he or she is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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03 FC:1202	396.00 OP
04 FC:1201	774.00 OP

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

*Filing Date Granted*Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).*
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Replacement drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 are required. The drawings submitted are not acceptable because:
  - Numbers, letters, and reference characters on the drawings must measure at least 0.32 cm (1/8 inch) in height. See Figure(s) 6A.
  - The drawings submitted to the Office are not electronically reproducible. Drawing sheets must be submitted on paper, which is flexible, strong, white, smooth, non-shiny, and durable (see 37 CFR 1.84(e)). See Figure(s) 5, 5B, 6A and 6B.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Additional claim fees of **\$1170** as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**


Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$2070** for a Large Entity

- **\$770** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$1170**
  - **\$774** for **9** independent claims over 3.
  - **\$396** for **22** total claims over 20.

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